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1. U.S. Patent No. 6,433,044 B1 issued August 13, 2002, to Maekawa et al.
2. J.E. Pickett et al., "Photodegradation of UV screeners", *Polymer Degradation and Stability*, Vol. 42, 1993, pp. 231-244.

One copy of Reference No. 2 is submitted herewith.

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